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7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

9 JACQUELINE MILLER, a single
10 person,

11 Plaintiff,

13 vs.

14 WHITMAN COUNTY and JILL
15 WHELCHEL, a single person in her
16 capacity as employee of Whitman
17 County,

19 Defendants.

US District Court for Eastern
District of Washington Case No.

Whitman County Superior Court
Cause No. 20-2-00100-38

CERTIFICATE OF MICHAEL E.
MCFARLAND, JR.

21 I, Michael E. McFarland, Jr., certify under penalty of perjury under the laws
22 of the United States and State of Washington that the following is true and correct
23 to the best of my knowledge:
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1 I am the attorney of record for Defendants Whitman County and Jill
2 Whelchel in the above-entitled matter and am competent to testify to the facts set
3 forth herein:
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5 1. Attached hereto as **Exhibit A** is a true and correct copy of the
6 Summons and Complaint filed by Plaintiff in Whitman County Superior Court on
7 July 17, 2020.
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9 2. Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is a true and correct copy of the
10 Amended Summons and Complaint filed by Plaintiff in Whitman County Superior
11 Court on July 22, 2020.
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13 3. Attached hereto as **Exhibit C** is a true and correct copy of the
14 Summons and Complaint and the Amended Summons and Complaint for Jill
15 Whelchel that was served on her at the Whitman County Clerk's office on August
16 10, 2020.
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18 4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit D** is a true and correct copy of the
19 Summons and Complaint and the Amended Summons and Complaint for
20 Whitman County that was served at the Whitman County Auditor's office on
21 August 10, 2020.
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5. All defendants consent to the removal of this action to U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Washington.

DATED this 15th day of August, 2020.

EVANS, CRAVEN & LACKIE, P.S.

By: *s/ Michael E. McFarland, Jr.*
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5. All defendants consent to the removal of this action to U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Washington.

DATED this 14th day of August, 2020.

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By: *s/ Michael E. McFarland, Jr.*
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to RCW 9A.72.085, the undersigned hereby certifies under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Washington, that on the 14th day of August, 2020, the foregoing was delivered to the following persons in the manner indicated:

Counsel for Plaintiff

Douglas D. Phelps
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2903 N. Stout Road
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- Via Regular Mail
 - Via Certified Mail
 - Via Overnight Mail
 - Via Facsimile
 - Hand Delivered
 - Via Email

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